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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (PARA 1, LINE 1 OMITTED)

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SREF, UNHCR, IS

SUBJECT: CONFERENCE ON TERRITORIAL ASYLUM: ISRAELI  
PARTICIPATION IN WEO GROUP

REF: GENEVA 152

1. DEPARTMENT HAS FOUND NO PRECEDENT FOR INCLUSION OF  
ISRAEL IN WEO GROUP, ALTHOUGH FILES MAY BE INCOMPLETE.  
USUN INFORMS US THAT ISRAEL HAS NOT PARTICIPATED IN WEO  
GROUPS IN UN MEETINGS IN NEW YORK.

2. DESPITE LACK OF PRECEDENT, DEPARTMENT BELIEVES THAT  
EACH GROUP IS FREE TO INCLUDE OR EXCLUDE ANY STATE FROM  
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ITS CAUCUS. GROUP CAUCUSES ARE NOT CREATED BY CONSTITU-  
TIONS OR RULES OF PROCEDURE BUT INSTEAD ARE INFORMAL  
MECHANISM TO TRADE INFORMATION, DISCUSS PROPOSALS, FORMU-  
LATE COMMON POSITIONS, ETC. THEREFORE, DECISION ON  
PARTICIPATION OF A STATE IN GROUP SHOULD BE BASED ON  
WHETHER INCLUSION WILL PROMOTE THESE GOALS. IF INCLUSION  
OF A STATE WILL DISCOURAGE FRANK DISCUSSION, IT SHOULD NOT

BE SUPPORTED.

3. IF OTHER DELEGATES DO NOT RAISE ISSUE OF ISRAELI PARTICIPATION, US DELEGATE SHOULD NOT RAISE ISSUE.

4. IF ISRAELI PARTICIPATION DOES BECOME AN ISSUE, DELEGATE SHOULD INFORMALLY CONSULT WITH OTHER MEMBERS TO ASSESS IMPACT OF ISRAELI PARTICIPATION ON FUNCTIONING OF GROUP. IF THERE IS NO CONSENSUS ON ISRAELI PARTICIPATION, DELEGATE SHOULD SEEK INSTRUCTIONS FROM DEPARTMENT.

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